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3 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
4 DISTRICT OF NEVADA
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6 MONTRAIL D. SMITH,

7 Petitioner,

8 v.

9 BRIAN E. WILLIAMS, SR., *et al.*,

10 Respondents.
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Case No. 2:15-cv-00487-KJD-VCF

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME
(ECF NO. 70)**

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13 In this habeas corpus action, the respondents were due to respond to Petitioner
14 Montrail D. Smith's second amended petition for writ of habeas corpus by July 23, 2019.
15 See Order entered April 24, 2019 (ECF No. 68).

16 On July 19, 2019, Respondents filed a motion for extension of time (ECF No. 70),
17 requesting a 59-day extension of time, to September 20, 2019, to file their response to
18 Smith's second amended petition. Respondents' counsel states that the extension of
19 time is necessary because of his obligations in other cases. The petitioner does not
20 oppose the motion for extension of time.

21 The Court finds that Respondents' motion for extension of time is made in good
22 faith and not solely for the purpose of delay, and that there is good cause for the
23 extension of time requested.

24 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that Respondents' motion for extension of
25 time (ECF No. 70) is **GRANTED**. Respondents will have until and including
26 **September 20, 2019**, to file their answer.

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1 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that, in all other respects, the schedule for further
2 proceedings set forth in the order entered April 24, 2019 (ECF No. 68) will remain in
3 effect.

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5 DATED THIS 19 day of July, 2019.

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9 KENT J. DAWSON,
10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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